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In re Application of:  
**Kuhstoss, et al.**

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Group Art Unit: **1731**

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Examiner: **Carlos N. Lopez**

For: **Thin Porous Layer With Open Porosity And A Method For Production Thereof**

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In response to the Official Action dated **May 22, 2007**, reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the amendments and/or remarks as indicated below:

- ☐ **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page                      of this paper.
- ☒ **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- ☐ **Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page                      of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.
- ☒ **Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.